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For: TOASTER CUM MICROWAVE OVEN AND
METHOD FOR OPERATING THE SAME

Examiner: Philip H. Leung

Commissioner for Patents
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RESPONSE TO ELECTION OF SPECIES REQUIREMENT

Dear Sir:

In response to the election requirement, the Applicants hereby provisionally elect claims 1-10 which are directed towards the subject matter in Figures 3-4 of the pending application.

As noted by the Examiner, upon the allowance of a generic claim, the Applicants will be entitled to consideration of claims specific to the generic claim if the claims to each additional species are either written in dependent form or include the elements of an allowed generic claim as provided by 37 CFR 1.146.

An action on the merits of all the claims and a Notice of Allowance thereof are respectfully requested.

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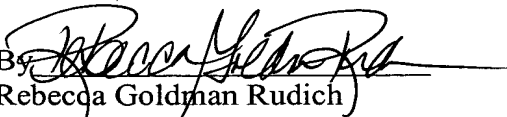
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